





PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 of CHELAN COUNTY 20 A8:43

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Department of Ecology Cashiering Section PO Box 47611 Olympia, WA 98504-7611

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find a Short Term Water Right Permit Application associated with a District fish tagging operation in the Wenatchee River, near the outlet of Lake Wenatchee in Chelan County, WA.

The water will be used to supply a constant flow of water to out-migrating juvenile sockeye salmon during the tagging process. If approved, the District will begin tagging on April 1, 2009 and continue until June 1, 2009. The use will be non-consumptive, in that all water diverted will flow through the tagging operation and back into the river, approximately 10-20 feet downstream of the point of diversion.

As per WAC 197-11-800 (4)(b), this application is exempt from State Environmental Policy Act review because the requested instantaneous quantity is less than 1 cfs.

A check for \$50.00 is enclosed that will cover the initial fee for the application.

Sincerely,

Licensing and Compliance

Waikele Hampton

Environmental Permit Coordinator

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